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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 6 7 8 MICHELLE MONIZ, No. C-05-1455 JSW (EMC) 9 Plaintiff, ORDER EXCUSING ATTENDANCE AT 10 SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE V. JACKSON & PERKINS CO., et al., 11 For the Northern District of California 12 Defendants. 13 14 15 By letter dated October 7, 2005 Defendants C&T ENGINEERING and ENGINEERED 16 PLASTIC PRODUCTS, through its attorney Michael D. Maloney of Babin & Seeger, requested to 17 be excused from personally appearing at the settlement conference scheduled for October 11, 2005. 18 No opposition was filed by any party. 19 Upon consideration of the request, the Court finds good cause for excusing personal 20 attendance. Therefore, it is hereby ORDERED that C&T ENGINEERING and ENGINEERED 21 PLASTIC PRODUCTS be available by telephone from 10:30 a.m. Pacific Time until further notice 22 on October 11, 2005. 23 ///

If the Court concludes that the absence of C&T ENGINEERING and ENGINEERED PLASTIC PRODUCTS is impeding the settlement conference, the Court may continue the settlement conference and may order personal attendance by each party including C&T ENGINEERING and ENGINEERED PLASTIC PRODUCTS.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: October 7, 2005

United States Magistrate Judge